

# *W Production and Mass at the Tevatron*



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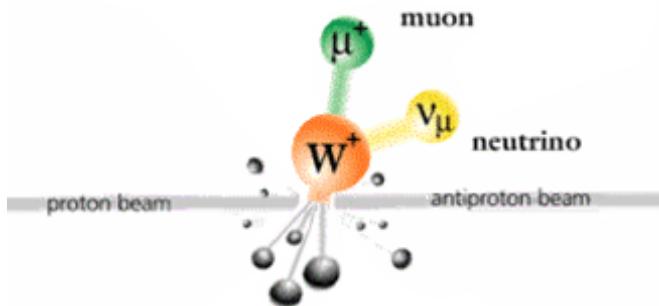


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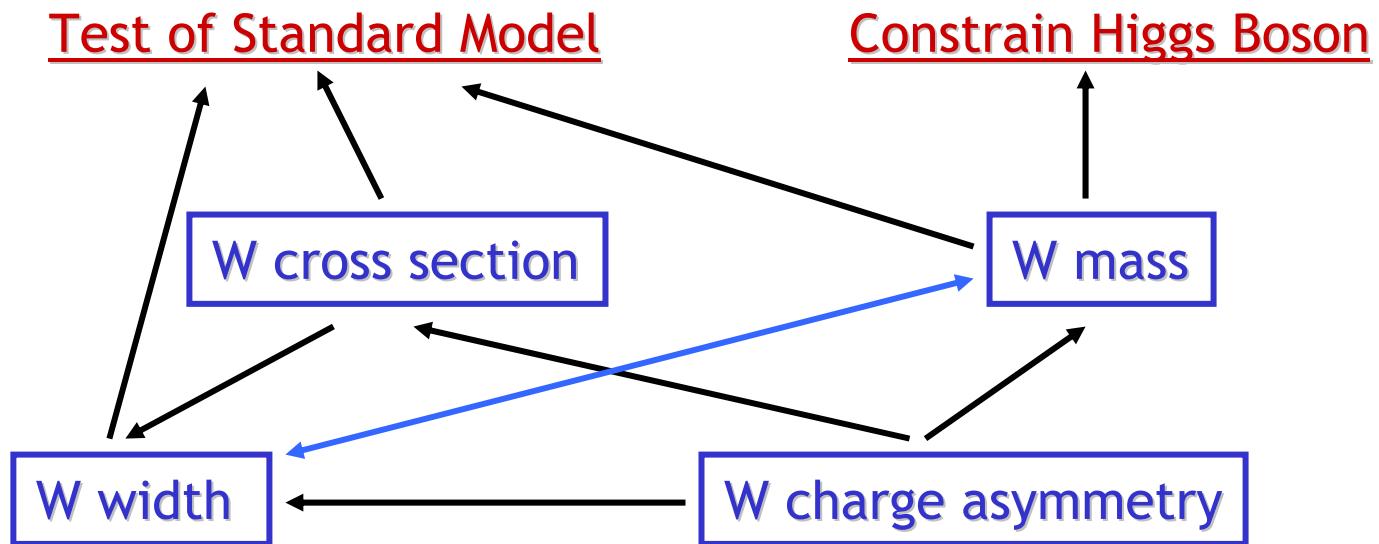
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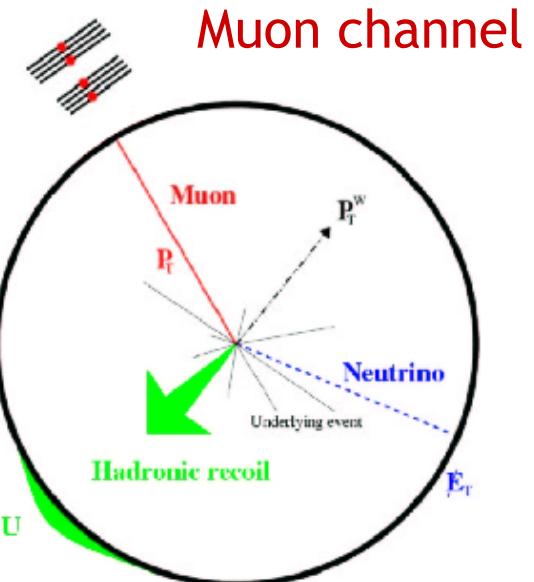
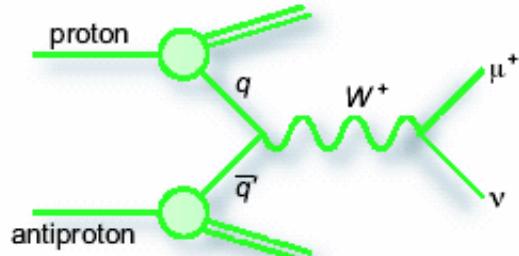
# *W Boson Physics at the Tevatron*

- Z properties known to very high precision from LEP
- Goal:
- Match precision measurements for charged EWK carriers
- Tevatron is for the next few years the only accelerator that can produce Ws directly

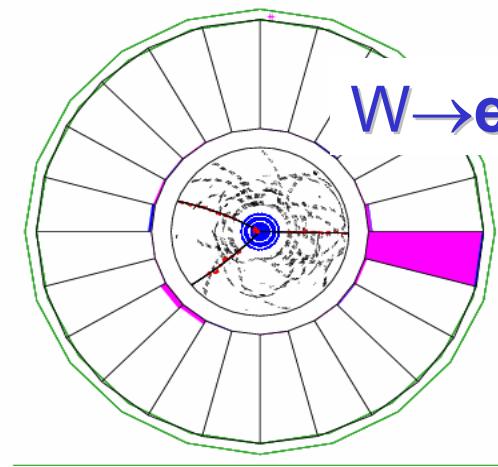
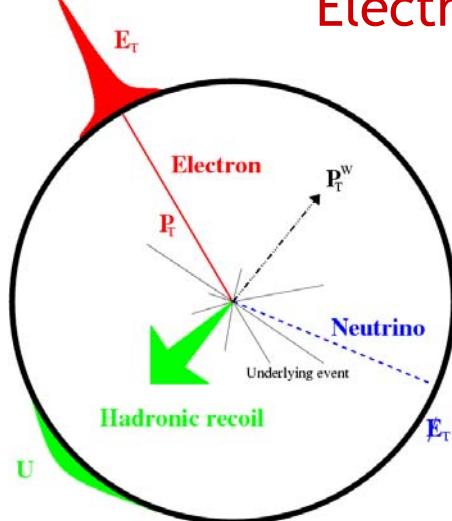


# *W Boson Production at the Tevatron*

Use clean W production signatures (leptonic decays):



**Electron channel**

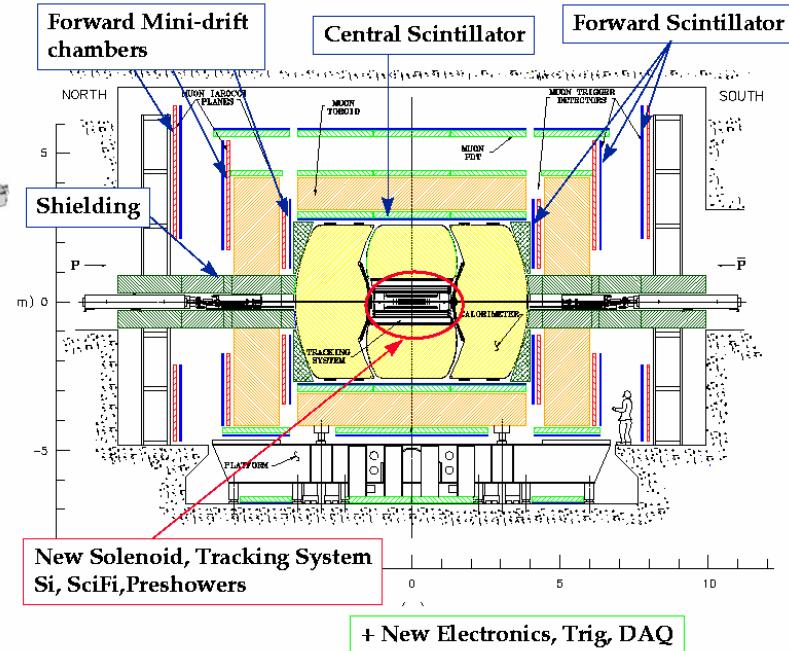
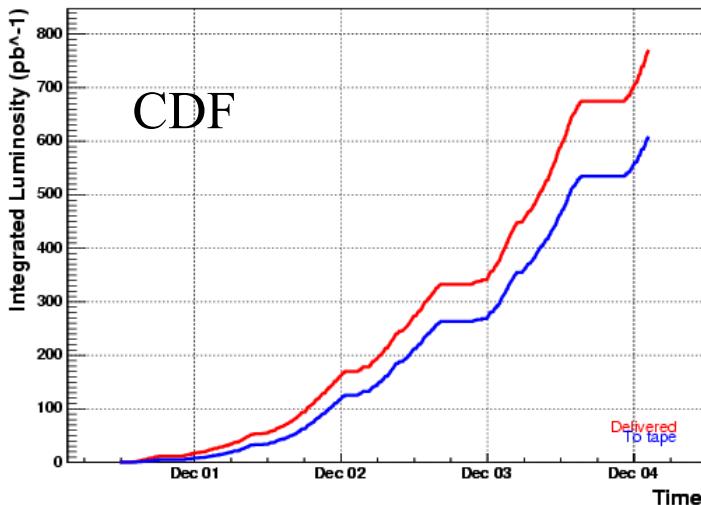
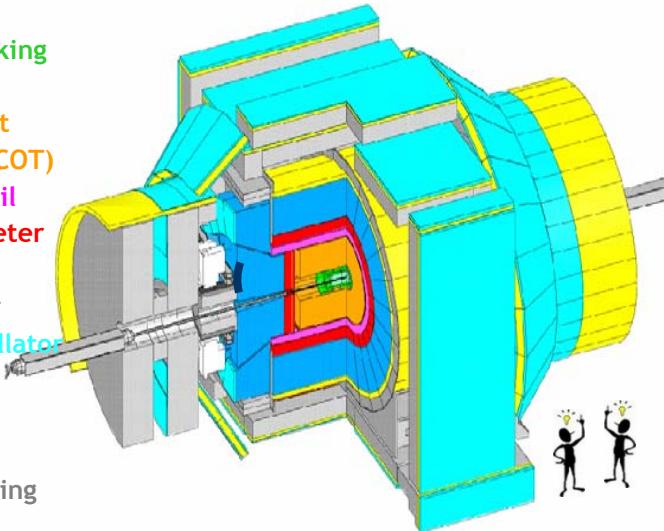


$W \rightarrow e\nu$

Isolated, high  $p_T$  lepton  
with large missing  
transverse momentum

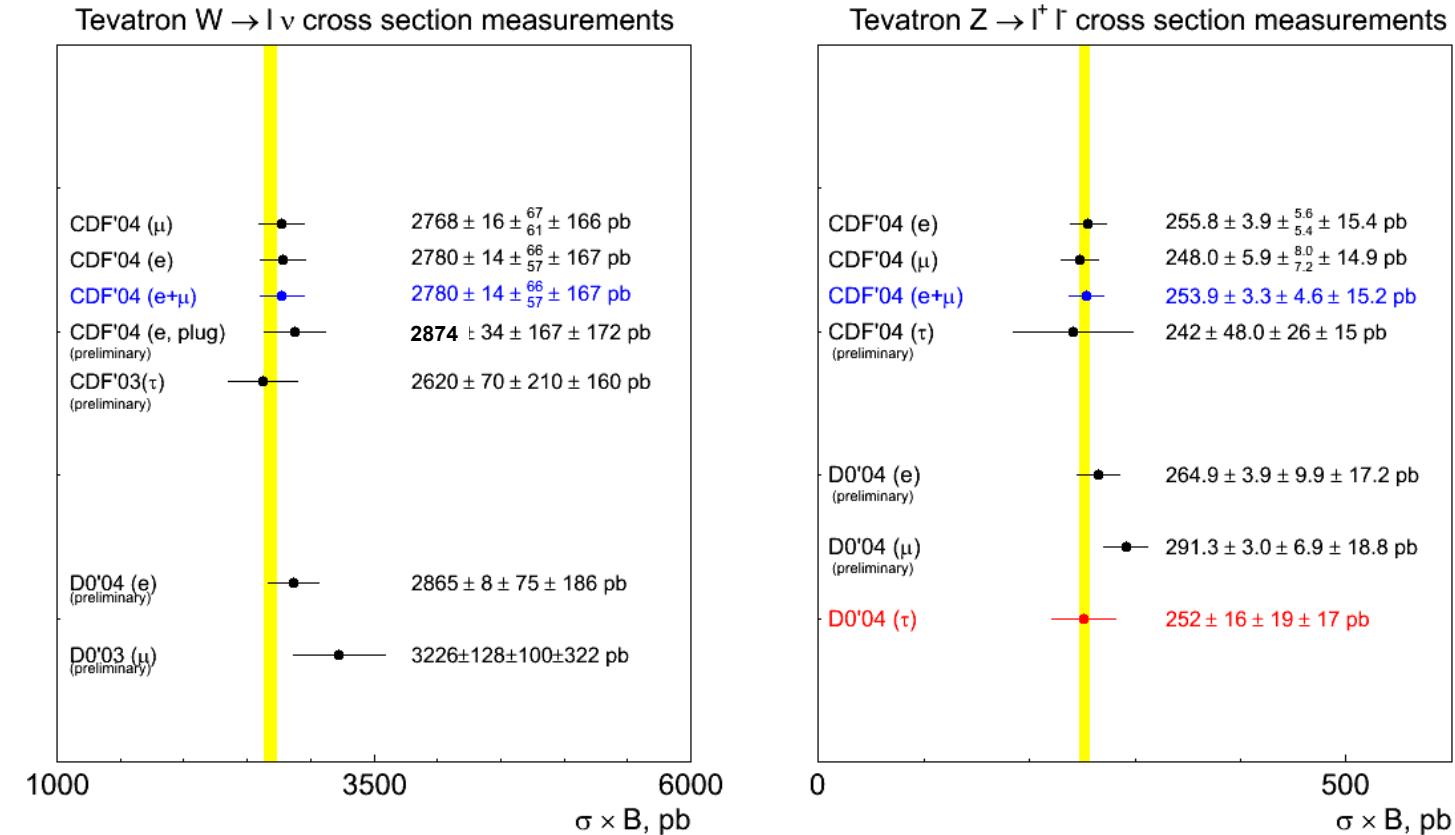
# CDF and DØ at the Tevatron

- Silicon tracking detectors
- Central drift chambers (COT)
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- *CDF and DØ are running well*
- Tevatron delivered ~800 pb<sup>-1</sup>
- CDF and DØ ~600 pb<sup>-1</sup> on tape
- Peak luminosities >  $1 \times 10^{32} / \text{cm}^2/\text{s}$
- high luminosity upgrades (trigger/DAQ) finalized and on schedule

# Inclusive $p\bar{p} \rightarrow W/Z + X$ Cross-Section at the Tevatron



*Overall good agreement with the NNLO calculations*

Accuracy limited by the systematic effects

- Uncertainties (~6%) dominated by luminosity measurements (correlated)
- Other systematics dominated by PDF uncertainties (~2%)

# Lepton Universality in $W$ Decays

From the measurements of the  $W \rightarrow e\nu$  and  $W \rightarrow \mu\nu$  cross sections obtain cross section ratio  $U$ :

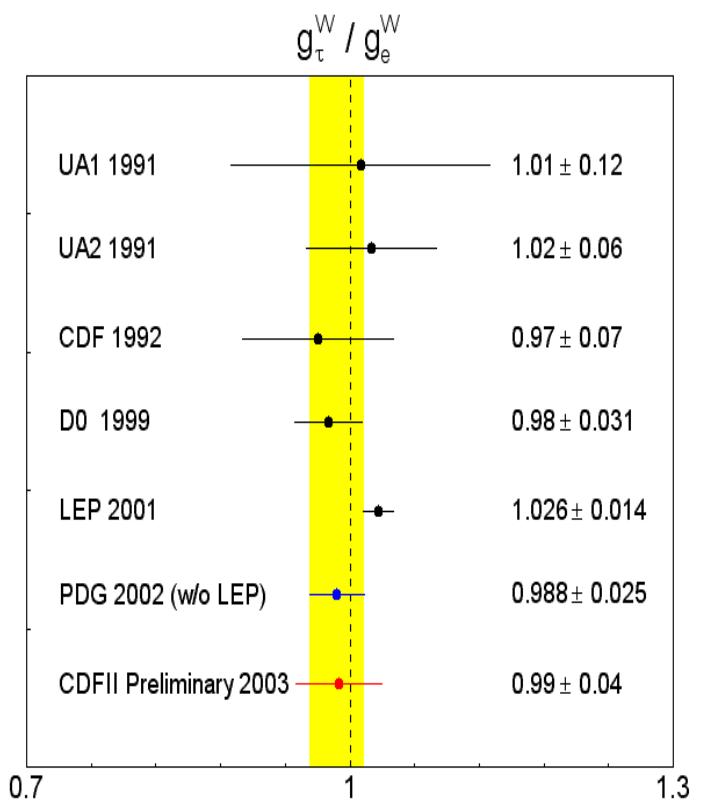
$$U = \frac{\sigma \cdot \text{Br}(W \rightarrow \mu\nu)}{\sigma \cdot \text{Br}(W \rightarrow e\nu)} = \frac{\Gamma(W \rightarrow \mu\nu)}{\Gamma(W \rightarrow e\nu)} = \frac{g_\mu^2}{g_e^2}$$

Many systematic uncertainties cancel out

$$\frac{g_\mu}{g_e} = 0.998 \pm 0.012$$

In the same way from  $W \rightarrow e\nu$  and  $W \rightarrow \tau\nu$  cross sections:

$$\frac{g_\tau}{g_e} = 0.99 \pm 0.02_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.04_{\text{syst}}$$



# Indirect W Width

R: cross section ratio measurement:

$$R = \frac{\sigma \cdot \text{Br}(W \rightarrow l\nu_l)}{\sigma \cdot \text{Br}(Z \rightarrow ll)}$$

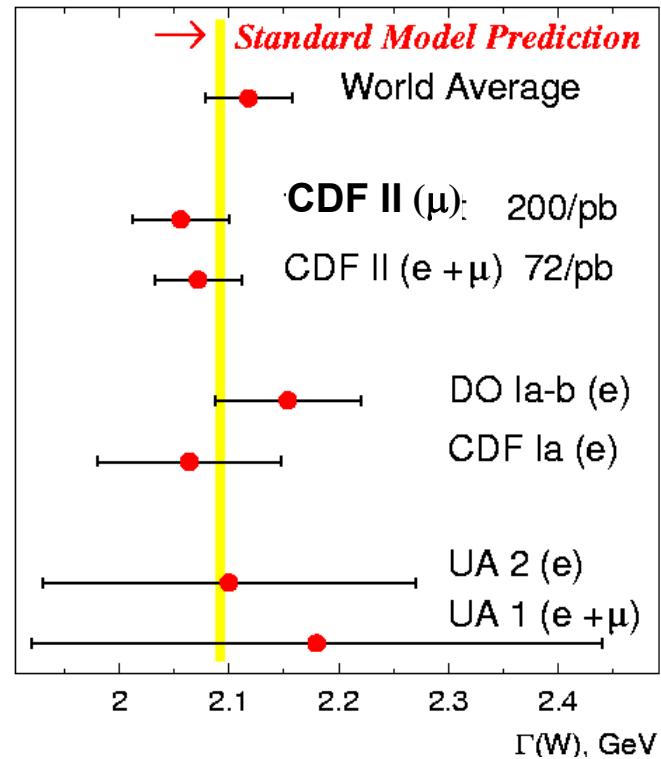
Many systematic uncertainties cancel out (e.g. luminosity)

$$R = \frac{\sigma(pp \rightarrow W) / \Gamma(Z)}{\sigma(pp \rightarrow Z) / \Gamma(W)}$$

$\Gamma(W)$

The diagram shows the components of the ratio R. The top row contains  $\sigma(pp \rightarrow W)$  and  $\Gamma(Z)$ , with a yellow bracket above them. The bottom row contains  $\sigma(pp \rightarrow Z)$  and  $\Gamma(W)$ , with a blue bracket below them. A blue oval encloses the bottom row.

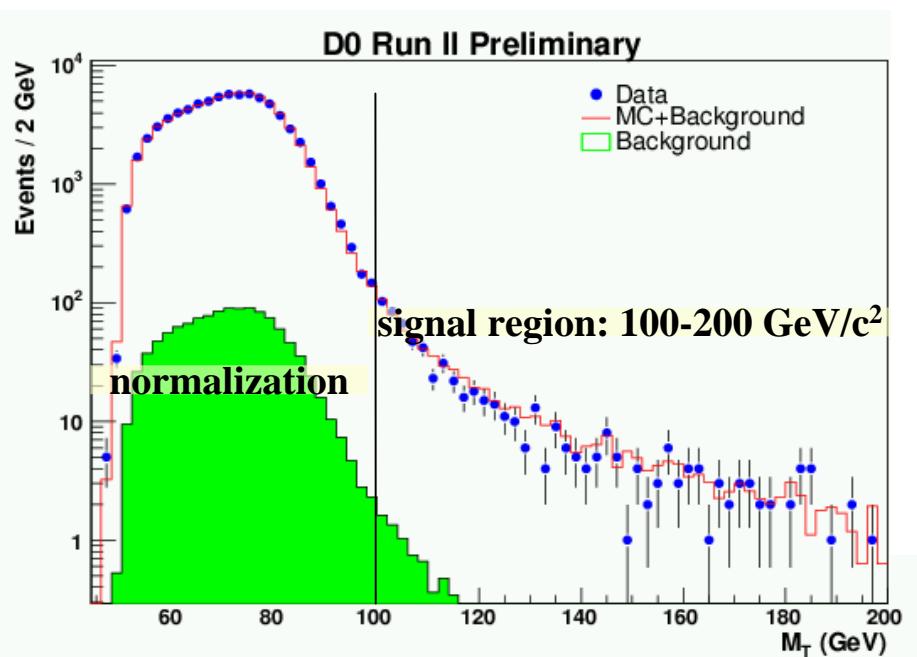
*Allows for an internal consistency check of the Standard Model with direct  $\Gamma(W)$  measurement*



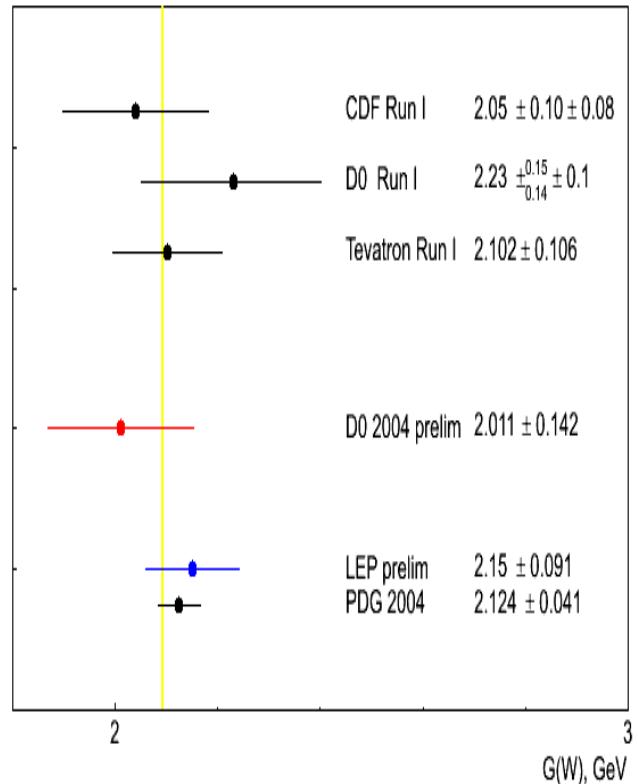
Channel	$\Gamma(W)$ (MeV)	$\int Ldt(pb^{-1})$
e + μ	$2079 \pm 41$	72
μ	$2056 \pm 44$	194
World Avg	$2124 \pm 41$	

# Direct W Width

- DØ summer 2004,  $177\text{pb}^{-1}$
- Measurement in  $W \rightarrow e\nu$  channel
- Normalization:  $50 < M_T < 100 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- 625 events  $100 < M_T < 200 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

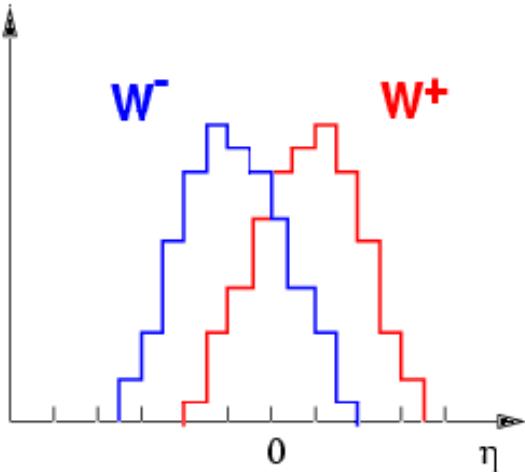


Direct W width measurements



# *W Charge Asymmetry*

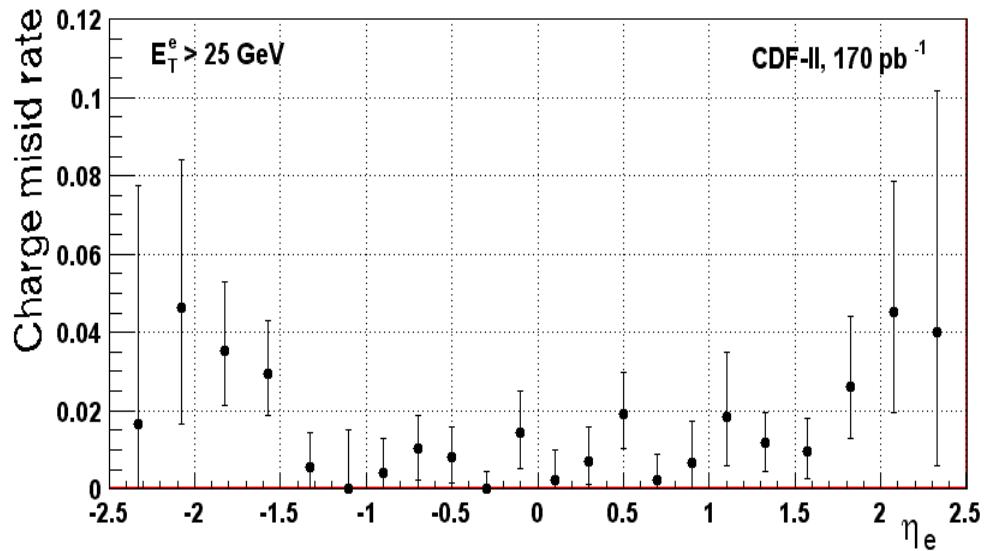
Use Ws to probe the proton structure



production asymmetry in  $p\bar{p} \rightarrow WX$   
is sensitive to u/d

$$A(y_W) = \frac{d\sigma(W^+)/dy - d\sigma(W^-)/dy}{d\sigma(W^+)/dy + d\sigma(W^-)/dy}$$

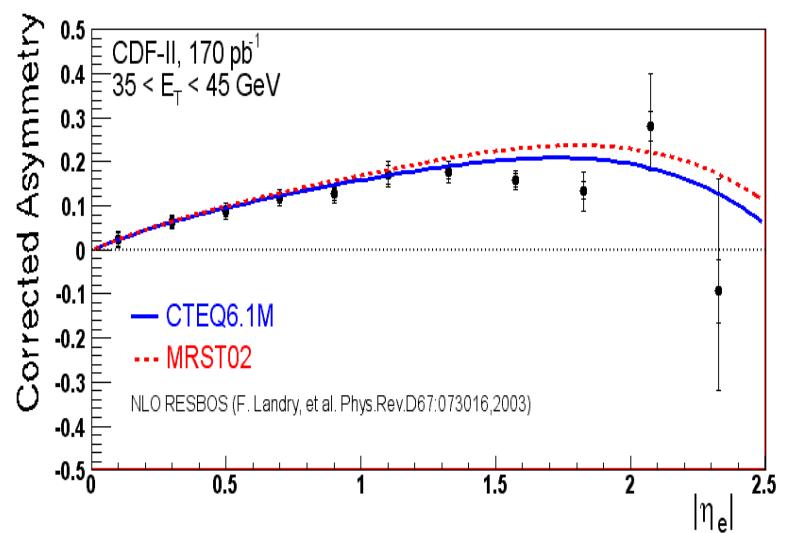
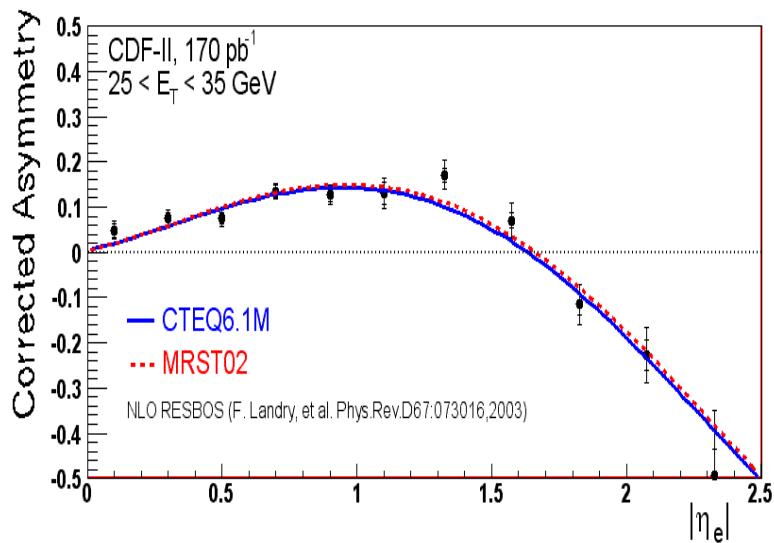
- identification of the lepton charge is the key
- misID probability ~4% at  $|\eta| \sim 2$



# *W Charge Asymmetry*

- Observable quantity is electron rapidity
- Convolution of W production asymmetry and V-A decay

$$A(\eta_l) = \frac{d\sigma(e^+)/d\eta - d\sigma(e^-)/d\eta}{d\sigma(e^+)/d\eta + d\sigma(e^-)/d\eta}$$

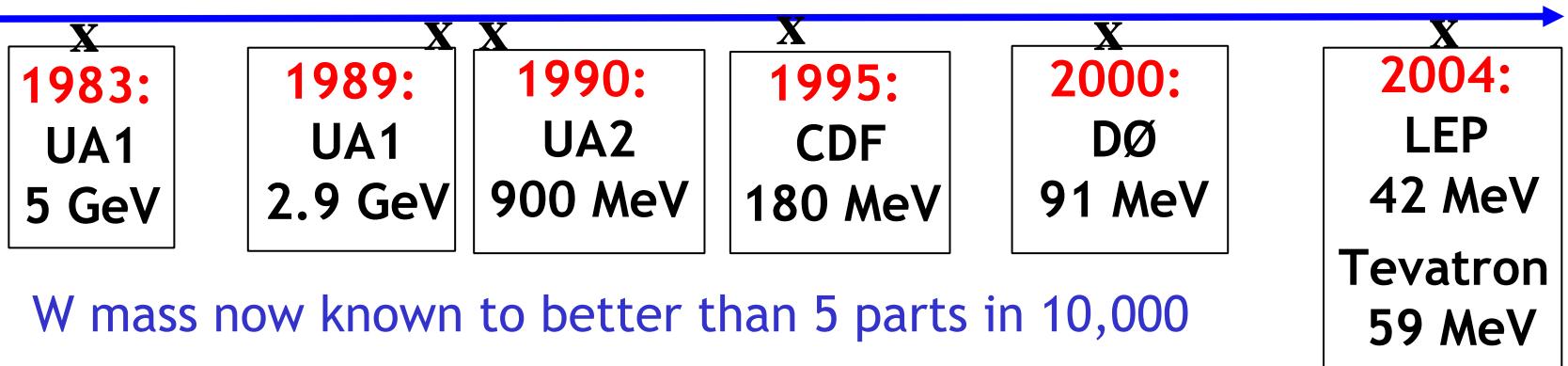


Bin data in  $P_T$  (2 bins) to increase sensitivity

Submitted: [hep-ex/0501023](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ex/0501023)

# W Mass Measurement

Precision of direct measurements:



W mass now known to better than 5 parts in 10,000

Looking forward:

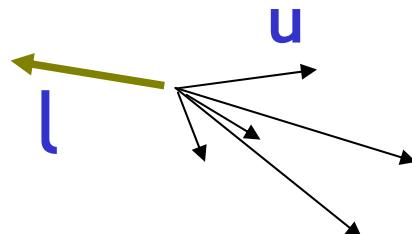
CDF: 79 MeV

Tevatron Run 2 has now 6 times Run 1 CDF, DØ data sets  
CDF has analyzed first  $200 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  of data and determined uncertainties

DØ: 84 MeV

- Momentum scale measured to better than 3 parts in 10,000
- Hadronic recoil understood to better than 50 MeV

First Run 2 W mass measurement coming soon

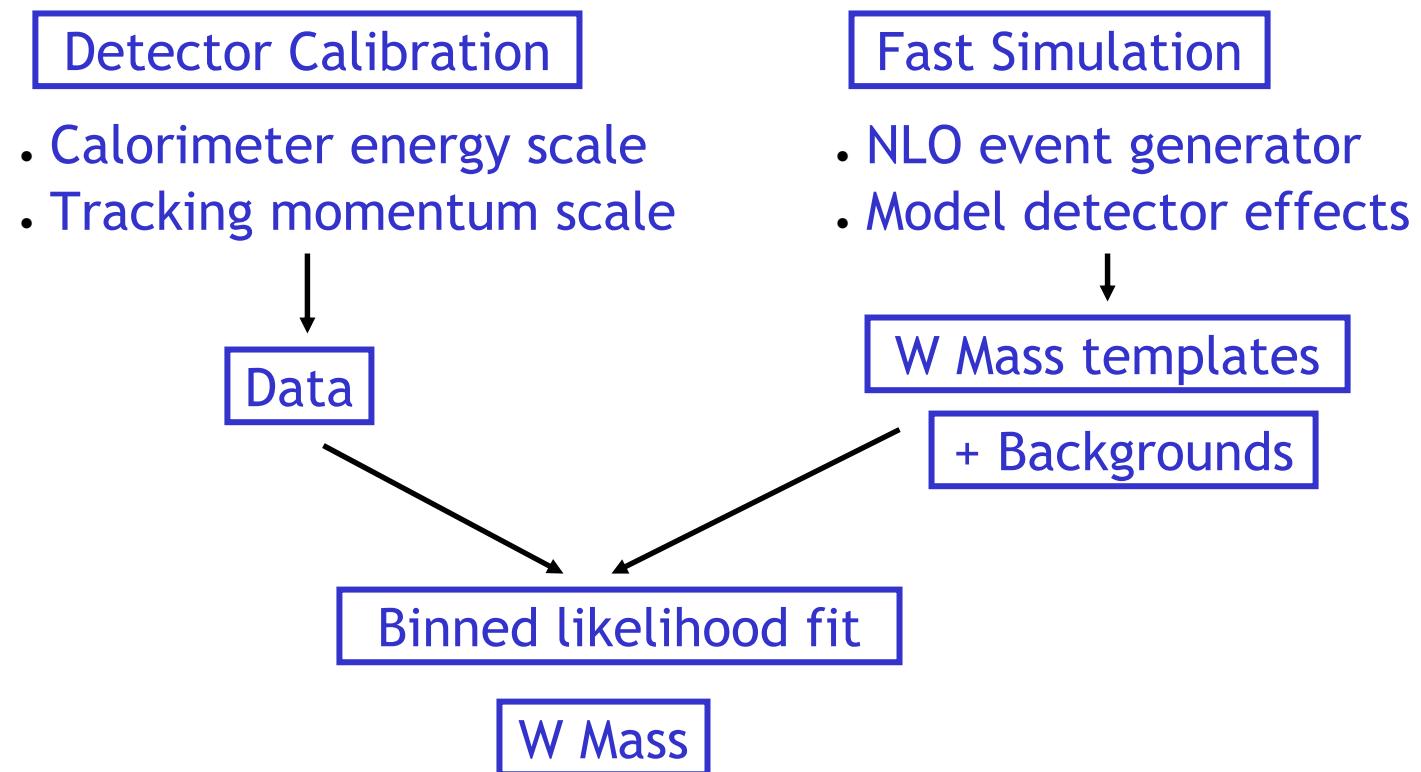


# Outline W Mass Measurement

W mass is extracted from transverse mass distribution

$$m_T = \sqrt{[E_T(l) + E_T(\nu)]^2 - [\vec{p}_T(l) + \vec{p}_T(\nu)]^2}$$

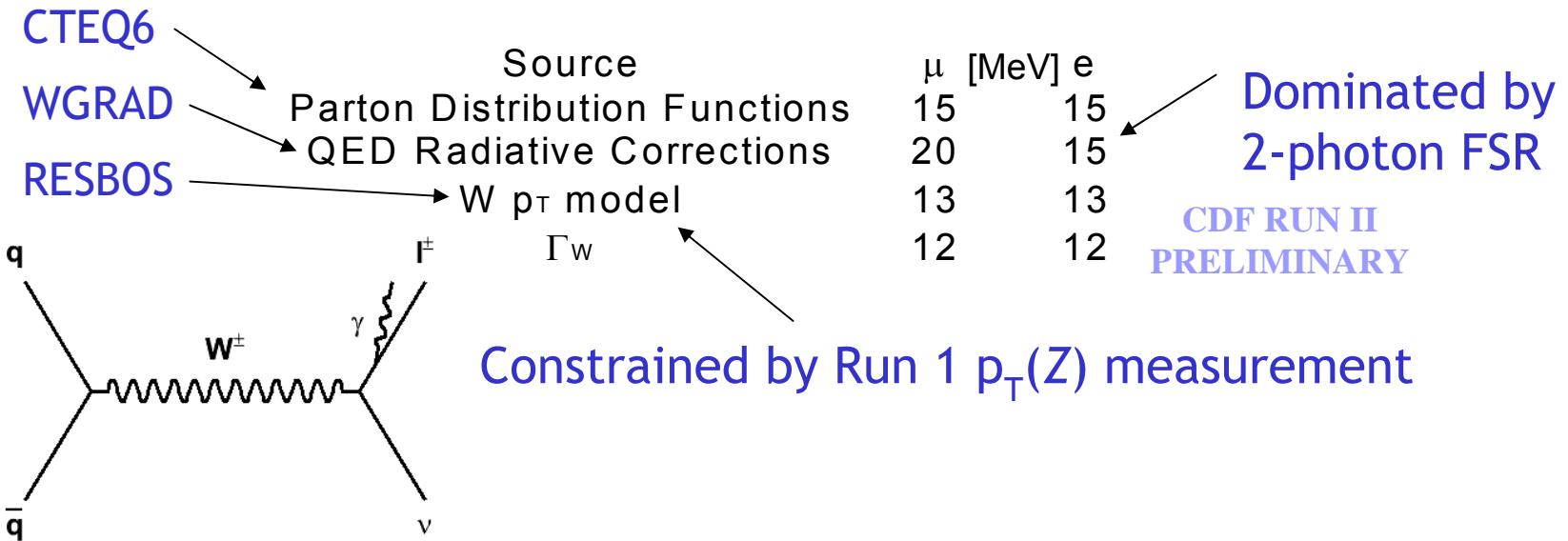
## Two important analysis components



~200 pb<sup>-1</sup> of data analyzed

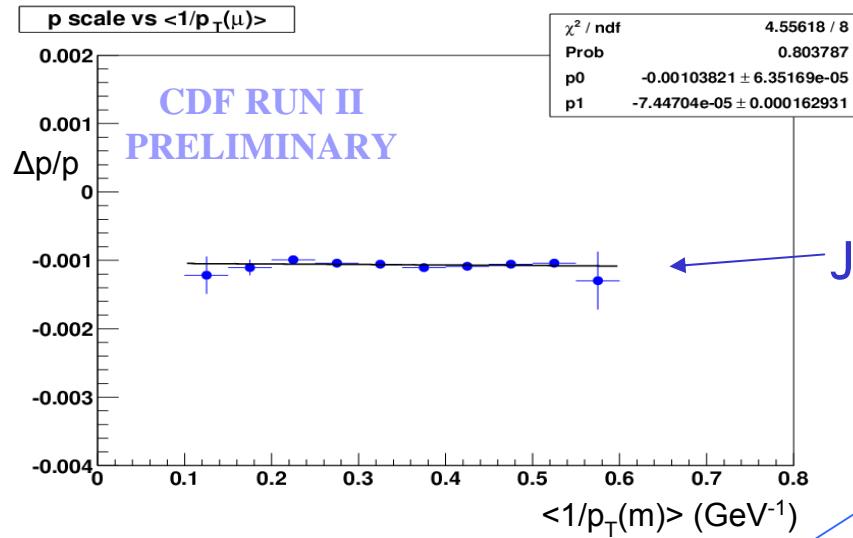
- First-pass of analysis complete, uncertainties determined
- Cross-checks ongoing
- W mass fit results blinded with hidden offset

## Production and Decay Model Uncertainties



# Run 2 Momentum Calibration

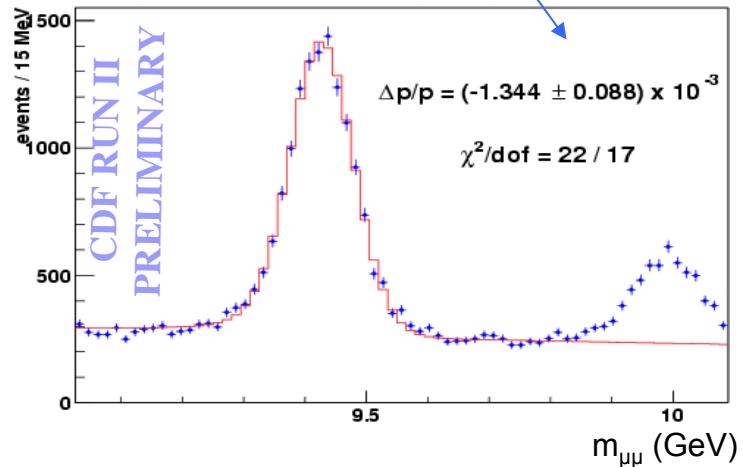
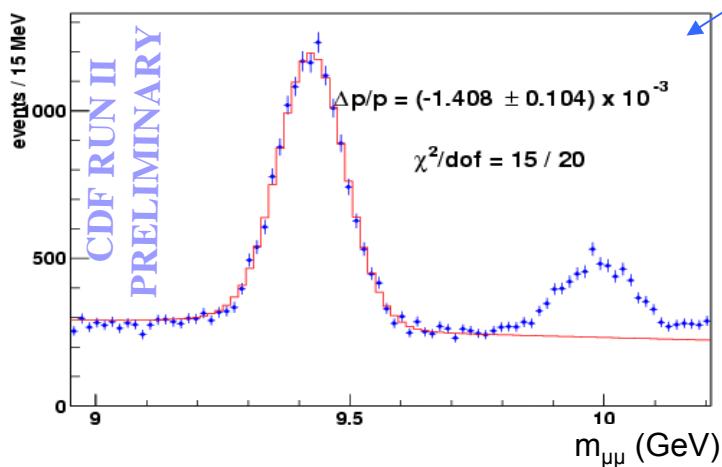
Set momentum scale using  $J/\psi$  and  $\Upsilon(1S)$  decays to muons



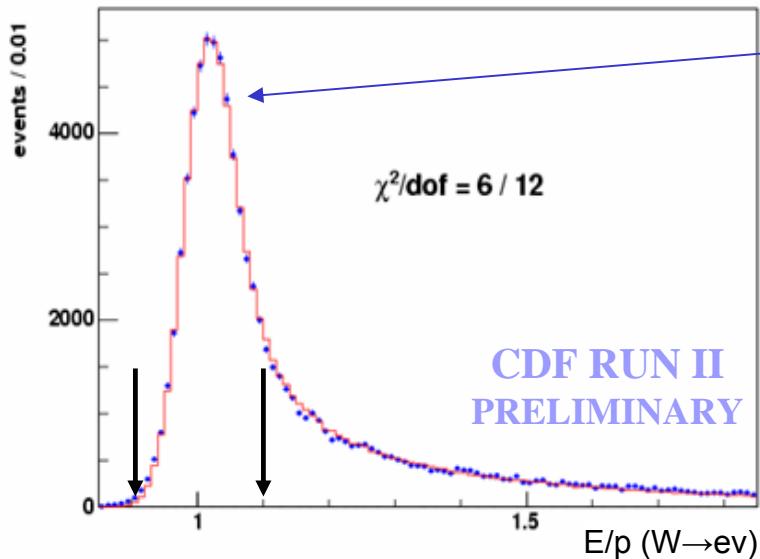
*momentum scale measured  
to 3 parts in 10,000*  
 $\Delta M_W = \pm 25 \text{ MeV}$

$J/\psi$  mass independent of muon  $P_T$

Upsilon mass consistent using  
beam-constrained or  
non-beam-constrained tracks



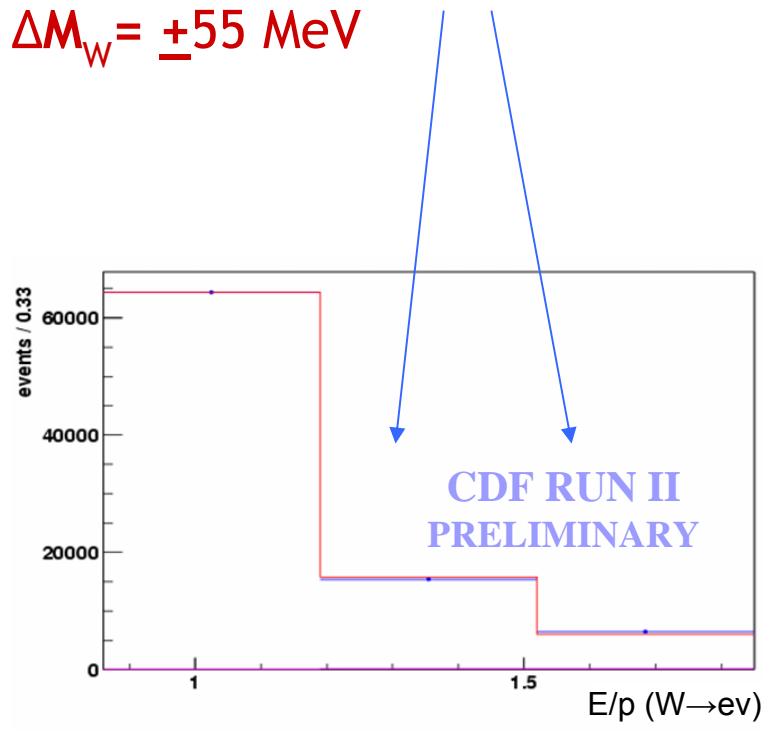
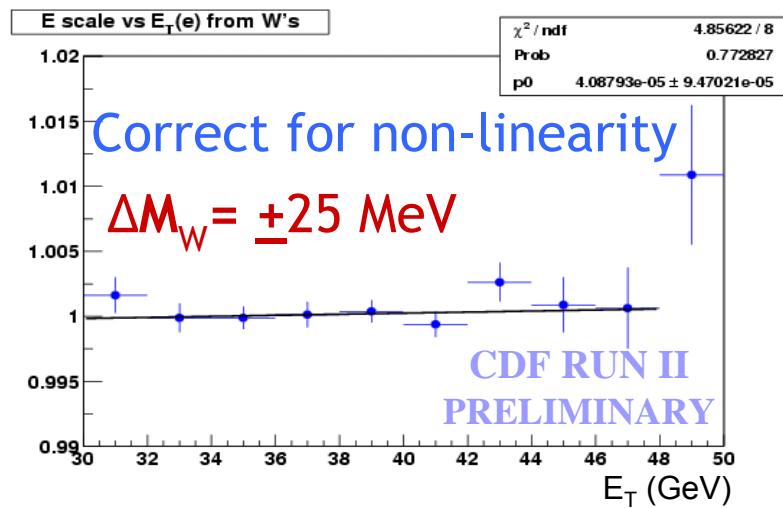
# Run 2 Energy Calibration



Set energy scale using  $E/p$  peak  
 $\Delta M_W = \pm 35 \text{ MeV}$

Tune upstream passive material using tail of  $E/p$  distribution

$\Delta M_W = \pm 55 \text{ MeV}$



# Run 2 Z Mass Cross Check

Use Z mass fits for tuning and cross-checks

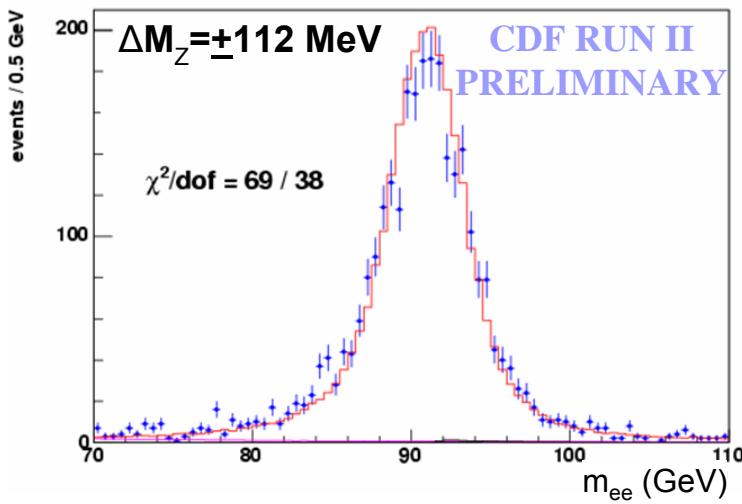
## Tuning:

- Tracking hit resolution
- Recoil Model

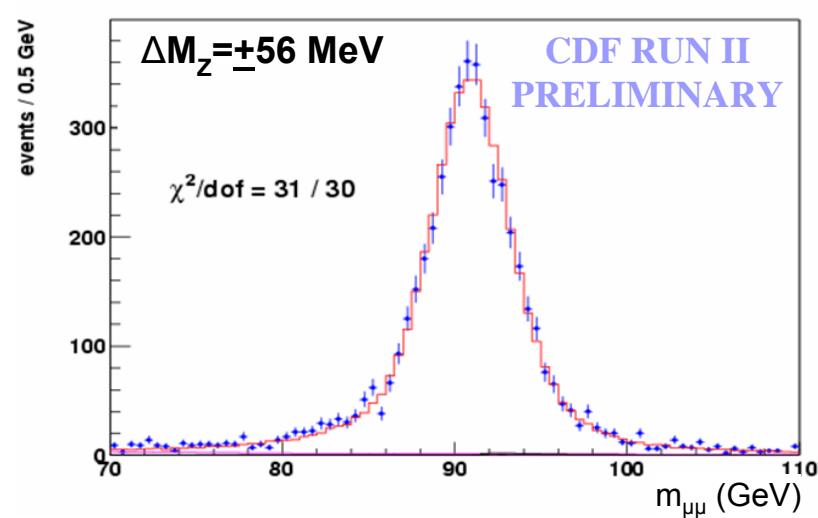
## Cross-check:

- Energy scales
- QED FSR

Electrons

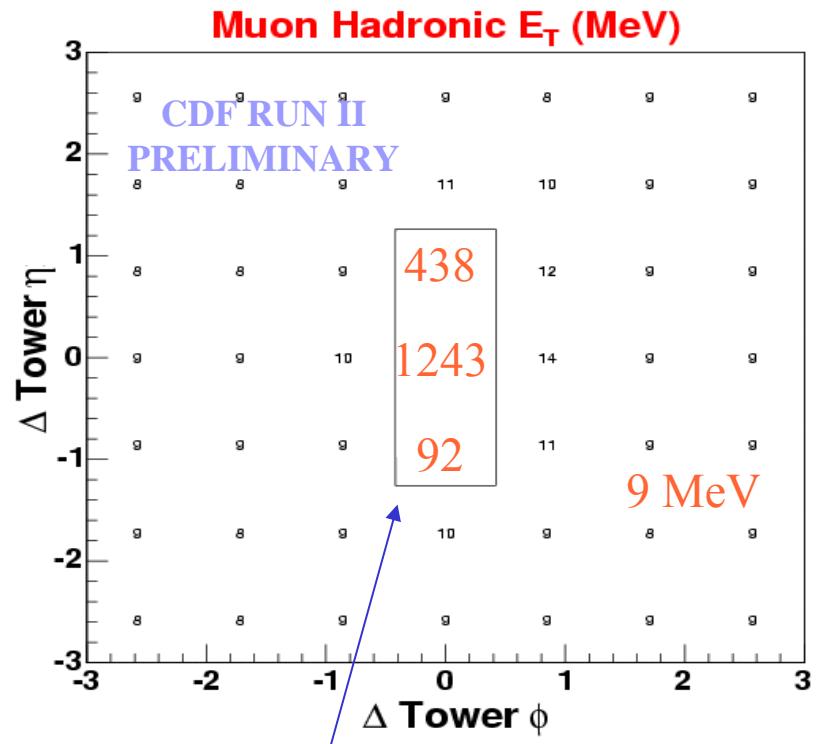
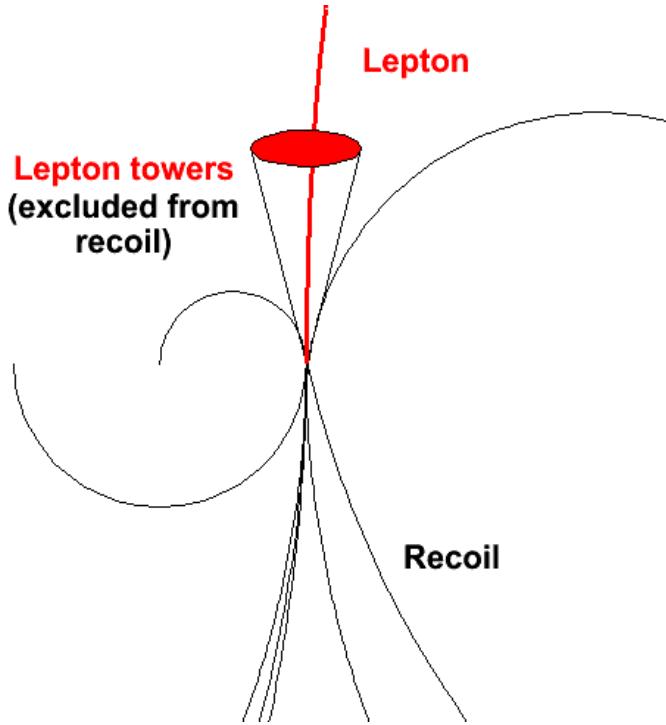


Muons



# Run 2 Recoil Measurement

Measure hadronic recoil by summing over all calorimeter towers  
Remove towers with energy deposited by lepton



Estimate removed recoil energy  
using towers separated in  $\Phi$

Removed muon towers

$$\Delta M_W = \pm 10 \text{ MeV}$$

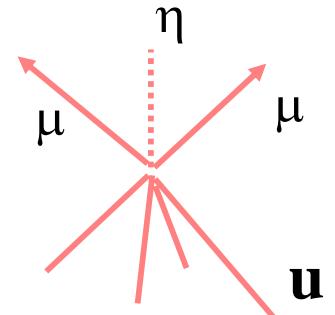
# Recoil Model

Parametrize hadronic response:

$$R = \frac{\mathbf{u}_{\text{meas}}}{\mathbf{u}_{\text{true}}} \quad \mathbf{u}_{\text{true}} \text{ given by } p_T(Z)$$

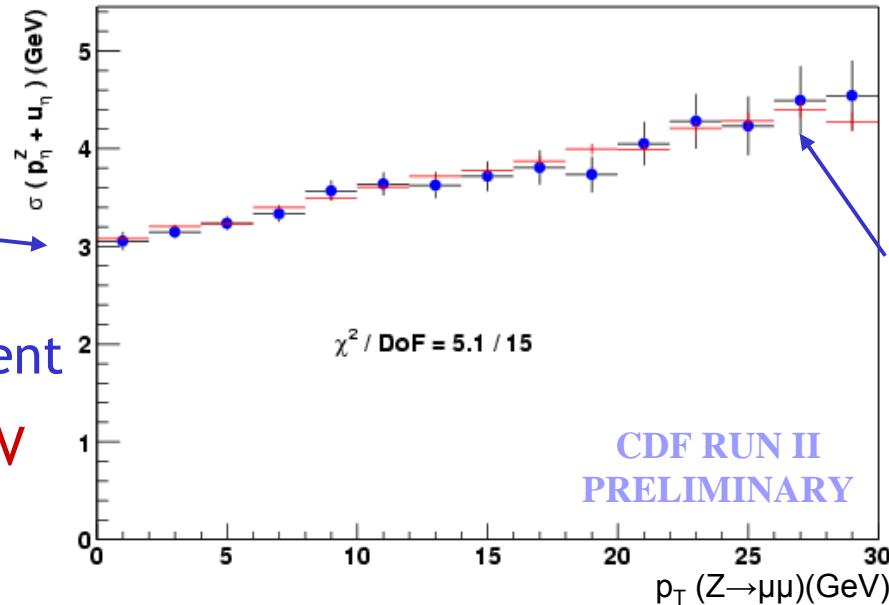
$\Delta M_W = \pm 20 \text{ MeV}$

Tune parameters using Z events:



Resolution at low  $p_T(Z)$   
dominated by underlying event

$\Delta M_W = \pm 42 \text{ MeV}$



Resolution at high  $p_T(Z)$  dominated by jet resolution

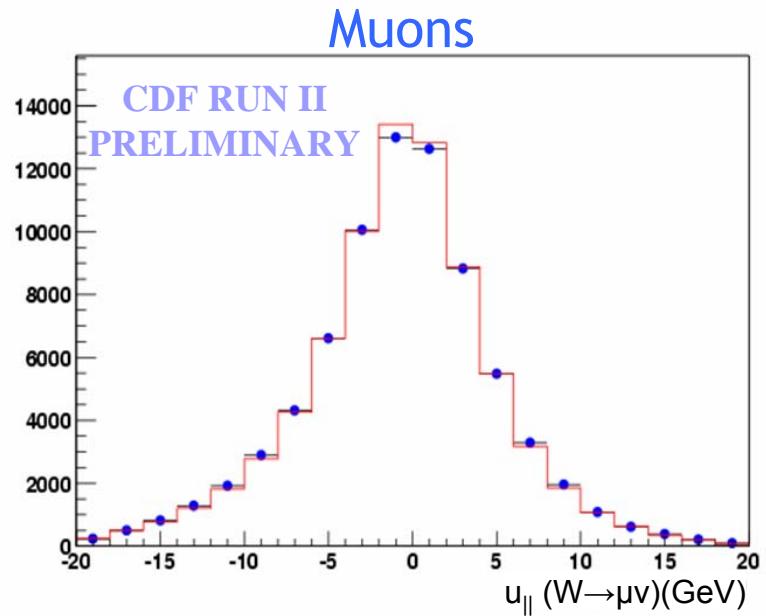
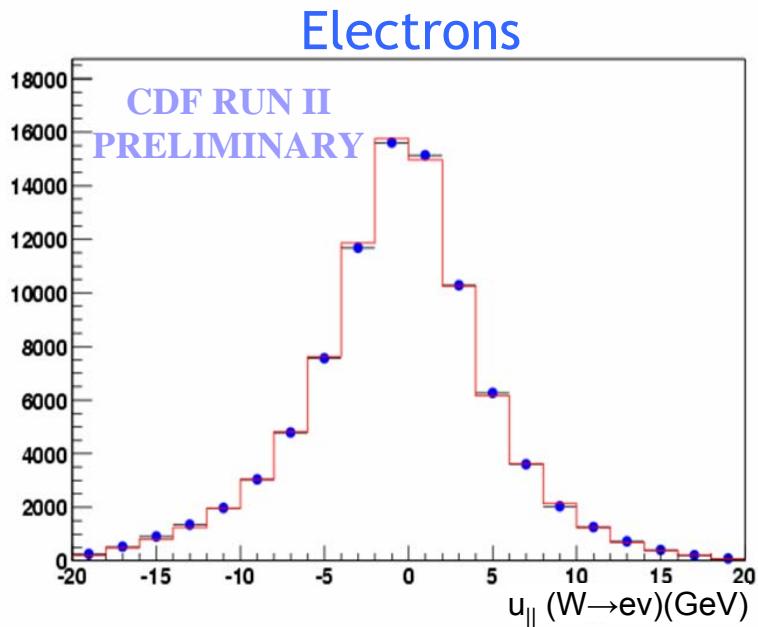
Model underlying event with min-bias data (inelastic collisions)

# Recoil Check in W Events

Any bias in recoil along lepton direction ( $u_{||}$ ) causes bias in W mass

Simulation includes:

- Tower-removal correction
- Backgrounds
- Inefficiencies as function of  $u_{||}$

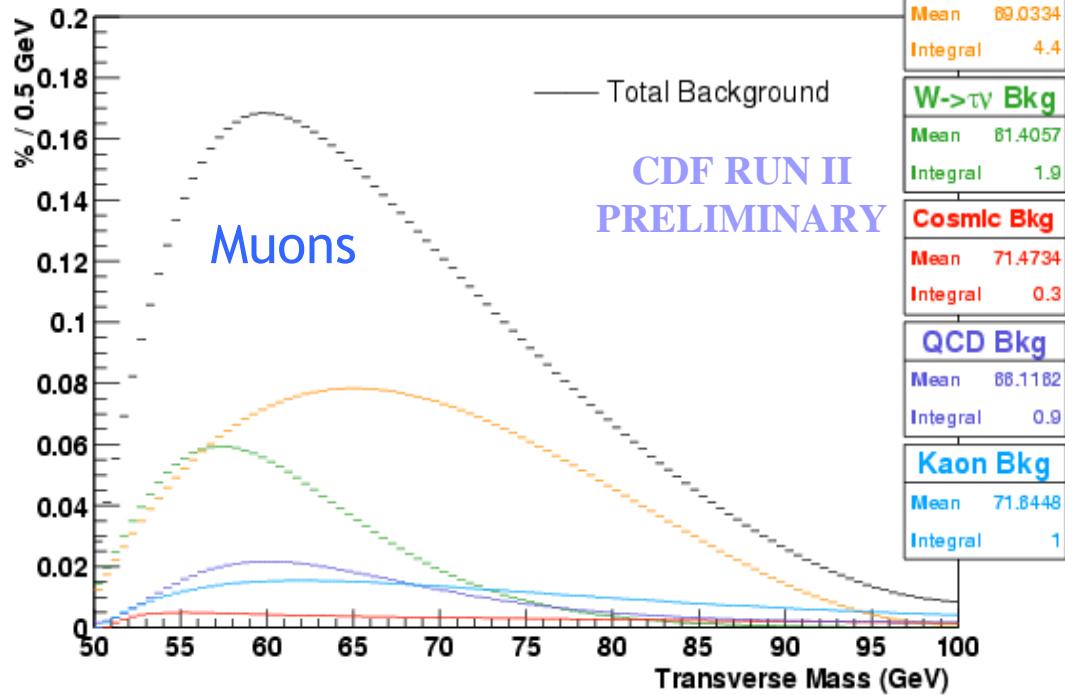


*Means of simulation and data agree within uncertainties*

# Backgrounds

## Muons

Background	%
Hadronic Jets	$0.9 \pm 0.5$
Kaons	$1.0 \pm 1.0$
Cosmic Rays	$0.3 \pm 0.1$
$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$	$4.4 \pm 0.2$
$W \rightarrow \tau\nu$	$1.9 \pm 0.1$



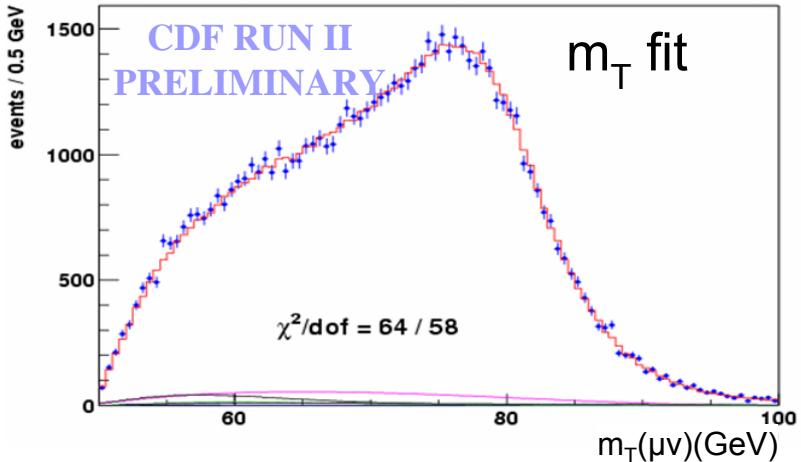
## Electrons

Background	%
Hadronic Jets	$1.1 \pm 0.4$
$Z \rightarrow ee$	$0.27 \pm 0.03$
$W \rightarrow \tau\nu$	$1.9 \pm 0.1$

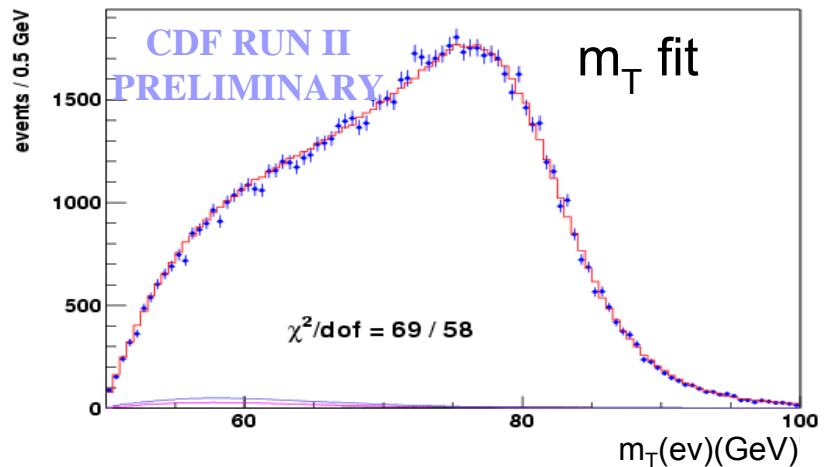
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# W Mass Measurement

Muons

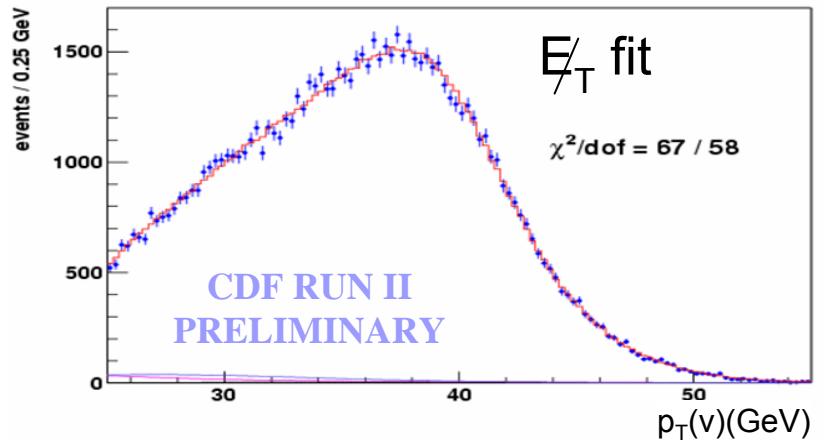
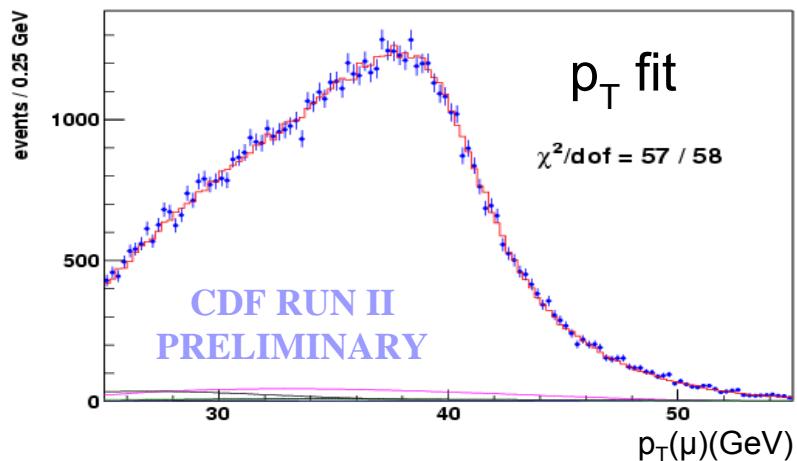


Electrons



Good  $\chi^2/\text{dof}$  for fits

Fits still blinded



# W Mass Measurement

Systematic	Electrons (Run 1b)	Muons (Run 1b)
Lepton Energy Scale and Resolution	70 (80)	30 (87)
Recoil Scale and Resolution	50 (37)	50 (35)
CDF RUN II Backgrounds	20 (5)	20 (25)
PRELIMINARY Statistics	45 (65)	50 (100)
Production and Decay Model	30 (30)	30 (30)
Total	105 (110)	85 (140)

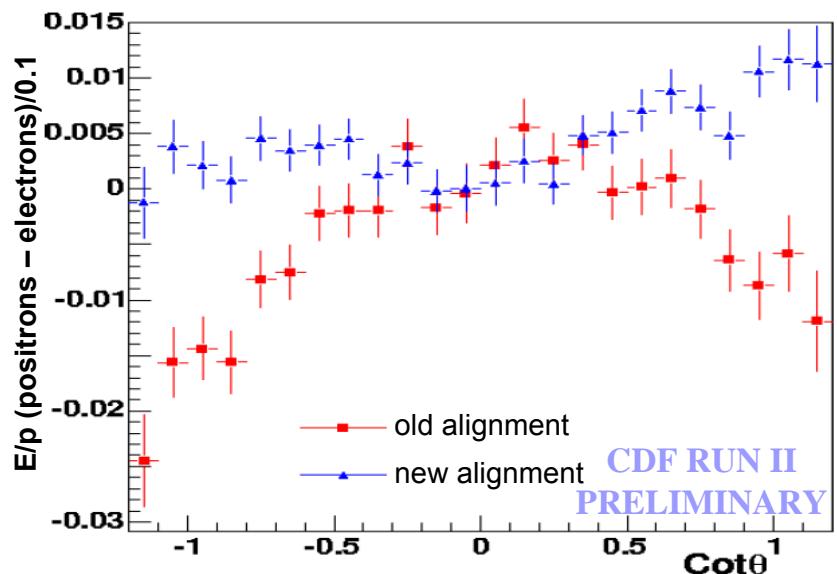
*Total uncertainty (76 MeV) already lower than Run 1 (79 MeV)*

Work in progress to reduce systematic uncertainty:

- Recoil resolution (hard interaction)
- Passive material upstream

*Alignment of COT performed using cosmic rays*

- NEW: adjust COT wire position along the beam axis
- Charge bias reduced by factor of 3 (consistent with no bias)



## Summary:

Very successful W boson program at the Tevatron

- Inclusive cross section in agreement with SM expectations with high precision
- Competitive measurement for W width and lepton universality
- W charge asymmetry measurement —> eager to see new PDFs
- W mass analysis about to be completed

## Outlook:

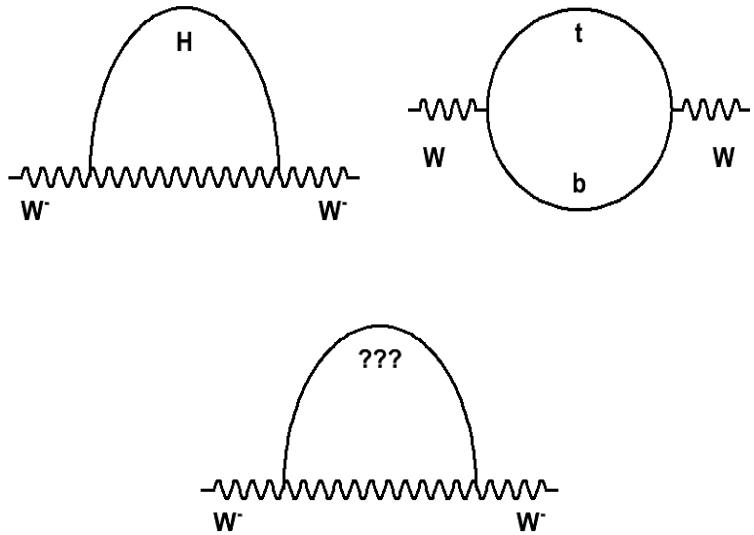
In Run 1,  $\Delta M_W$  and  $\Delta \Gamma_W$  followed  $\sqrt{L}$  scaling:

- Most systematic uncertainties scale with available collider data
- Theory input to production model will become important  $\sim 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- In Run 2, could reach  $\Delta M_W \sim 30\text{-}40 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $\Delta \Gamma_W \sim 50 \text{ MeV}$  with  $2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

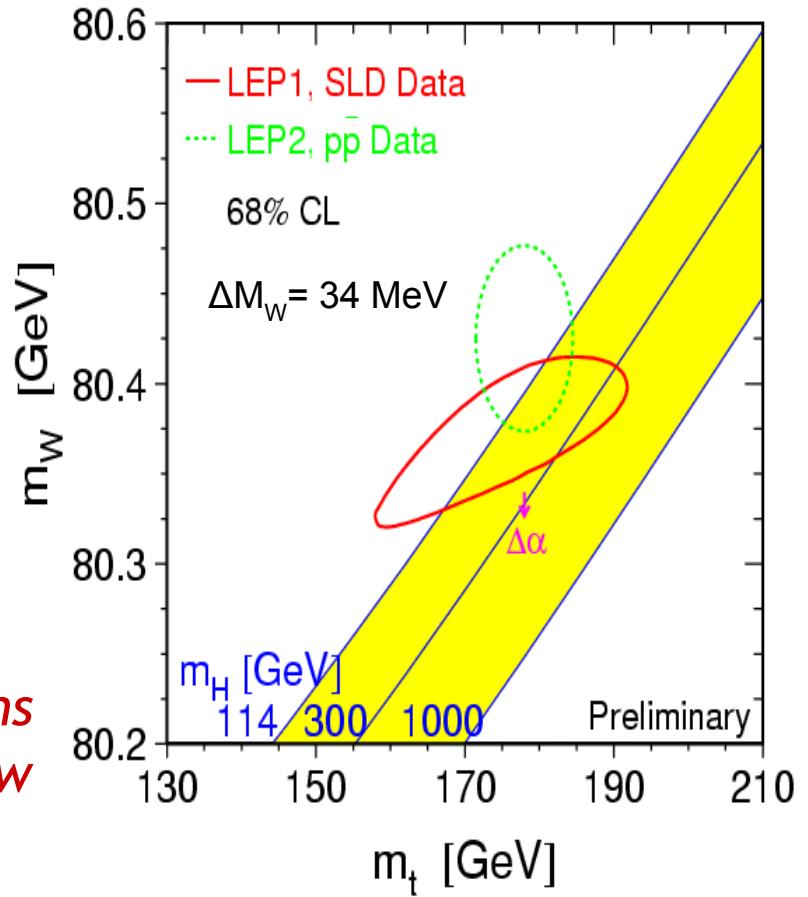
# Backup Slides

# Contributions to $W$ Mass

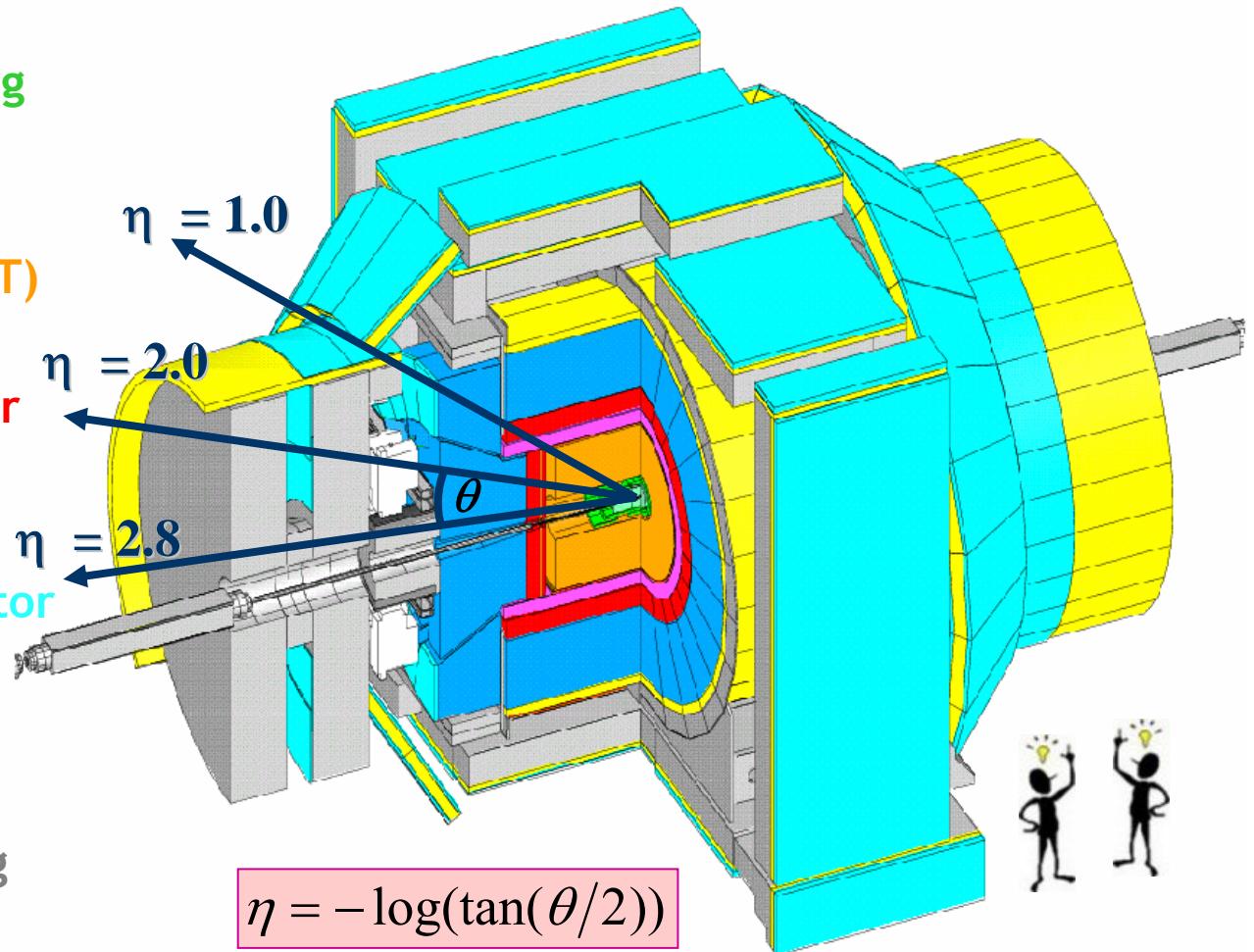
$W$  propagator includes  $H$ ,  $t\bar{b}$ , hypothetical new particle loops



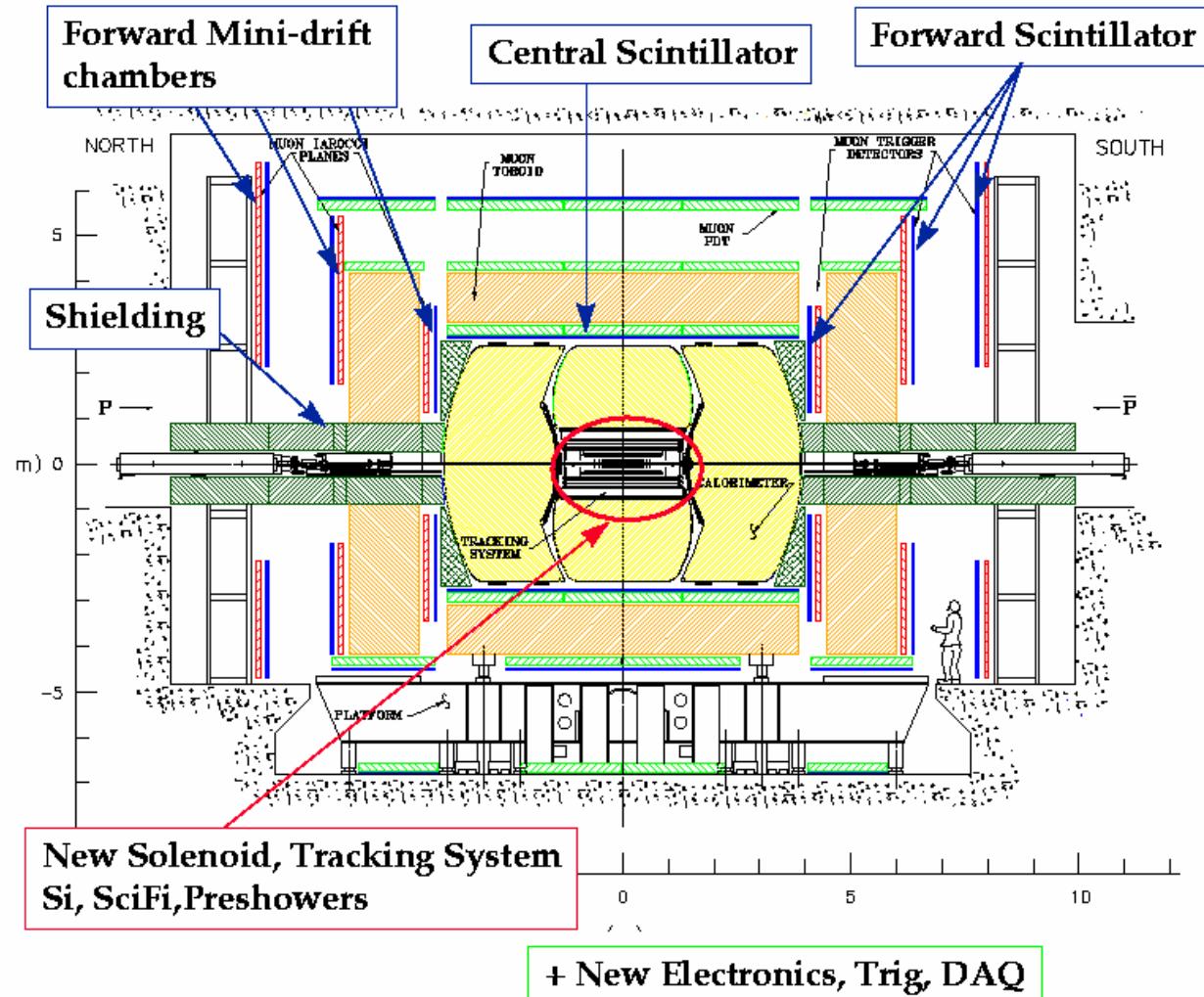
Precise knowledge of  $M_W$  constrains  
SM  $M_H$ , as well as hypothetical new  
particles



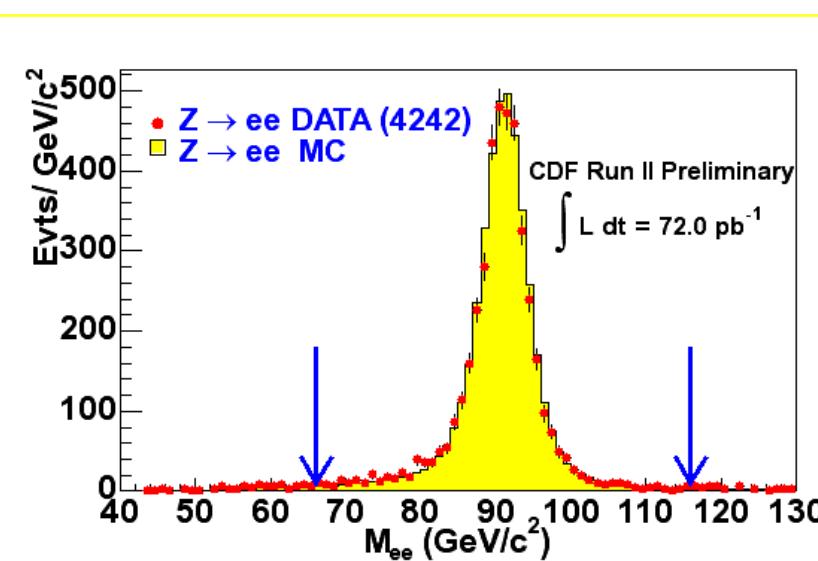
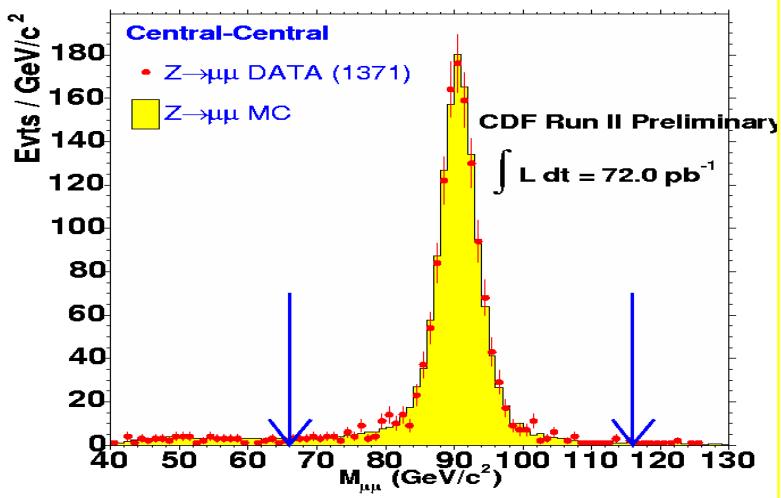
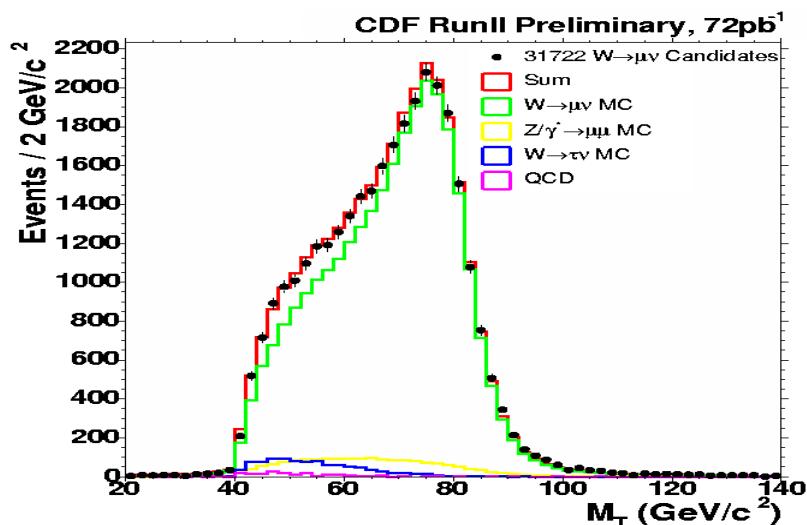
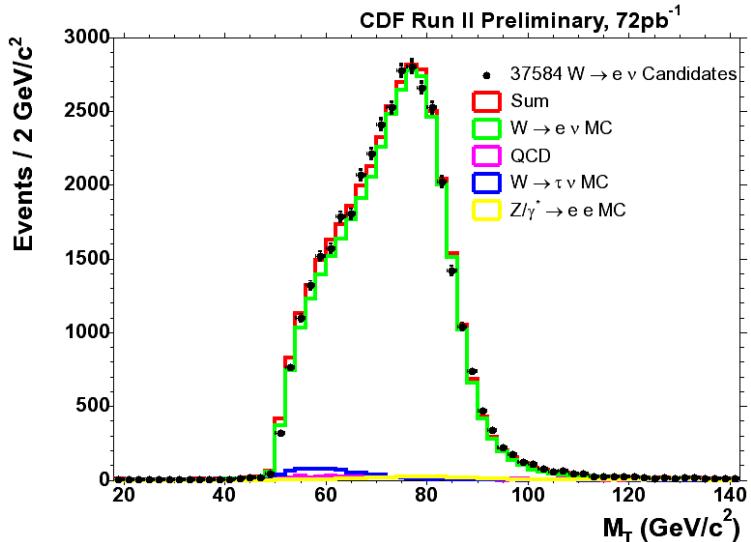
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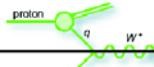
# W/Z Cross Section Data-MC



# Cross Section Summary



## Inclusive W Cross Section



	e	$\mu$
Number observed events	37584	31722
Estimated Bkg events	$1656 \pm 300$	$2990 \pm 140$
Acceptance	$0.2397 \pm 0.0036$	$0.1970 \pm 0.0025$
Efficiency	$0.749 \pm 0.009$	$0.732 \pm 0.013$
Luminosity	$72.0 \pm 4.3 \text{ pb}^{-1}$	$72.0 \pm 4.3 \text{ pb}^{-1}$

$\sigma_W(\mu)$	$2768 \pm 16 \text{ stat} \pm 64 \text{ syst} \pm 166 \text{ lum (pb)}$
$\sigma_W(e)$	$2780 \pm 14 \text{ stat} \pm 60 \text{ syst} \pm 167 \text{ lum (pb)}$
$\sigma_W(e+\mu)$	$2775 \pm 10 \text{ stat} \pm 53 \text{ syst} \pm 167 \text{ lum (pb)}$

NNLO @  $\sqrt{s}=1.96 \text{ TeV}$ :  $2687 \pm 54 \text{ pb}$  (Stirling, van Neerven)



## Summary of Extracted Quantities

$$Br(W \rightarrow \ell\nu) = \frac{N_W(1 - b_W)}{N_Z(1 - b_Z)} \frac{\epsilon_Z}{\epsilon_W} \left( \frac{A_Z \sigma_Z^{\text{th}}}{A_W \sigma_W^{\text{th}}} \right) Br(Z \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-)$$

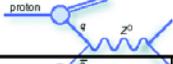
$$\Gamma_W = 3\Gamma_W^0 + 3 \left( 1 + \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} + 1.409 \left( \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^2 - 12.77 \left( \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^3 \right) \sum_{[\text{no top}]} |V_{qf}|^2 \Gamma_W^0$$

Total width depends on EWK parameters and first two rows of CKM matrix element.  $V_{cs}$  has largest uncertainty  $\rightarrow$  use  $\Gamma_w$  measurement to constrain it.

quantity	our measurement	world average	SM value
$Br(W \rightarrow \ell\nu)$	$0.1089 \pm 0.0022$	$0.1068 \pm 0.0012$	$0.1082 \pm 0.0002$
$\Gamma_W$ (using $Br(Z \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-)$ ) (MeV)	$2078.8 \pm 41.4$	$2118 \pm 42$	$2092.1 \pm 2.5$
$M_W$ (GeV) [M <sub>w</sub> not in PRL]	$80.26 \pm 0.52$	$80.423 \pm 0.039$	$80.391 \pm 0.019$
$\Gamma_W/Z$	$0.833 \pm 0.017$	$0.849 \pm 0.017$	$0.838 \pm 0.001$
$V_{cs}$	$0.967 \pm 0.030$	$0.996 \pm 0.013$	N/A
$g_{W\mu}/g_{We}$	$0.998 \pm 0.012$	$0.993 \pm 0.013$	1



## Inclusive $\gamma^*/Z$ Cross Section



	e	$\mu$
Number observed events	4242	1785
Estimated Bkg events	$62 \pm 18$	$13 \pm 13$
Acceptance	$0.3182 \pm 0.0040$	$0.1392 \pm 0.0027$
Efficiency	$0.713 \pm 0.012$	$0.713 \pm 0.015$
Luminosity	$72.0 \pm 4.3 \text{ pb}^{-1}$	$72.0 \pm 4.3 \text{ pb}^{-1}$

$\sigma_{\gamma^*/Z}(\mu)$	$248.0 \pm 5.9 \text{ stat} \pm 7.6 \text{ syst} \pm 14.9 \text{ lum (pb)}$
$\sigma_{\gamma^*/Z}(e)$	$255.8 \pm 3.9 \text{ stat} \pm 5.5 \text{ syst} \pm 15.4 \text{ lum (pb)}$
$\sigma_{\gamma^*/Z}(e+\mu)$	$254.9 \pm 3.3 \text{ stat} \pm 4.6 \text{ syst} \pm 15.2 \text{ lum (pb)}$

NNLO @  $\sqrt{s}=1.96 \text{ TeV}$ :  $251.3 \pm 5.0 \text{ pb}$  (Stirling, van Neerven)



## Ratio

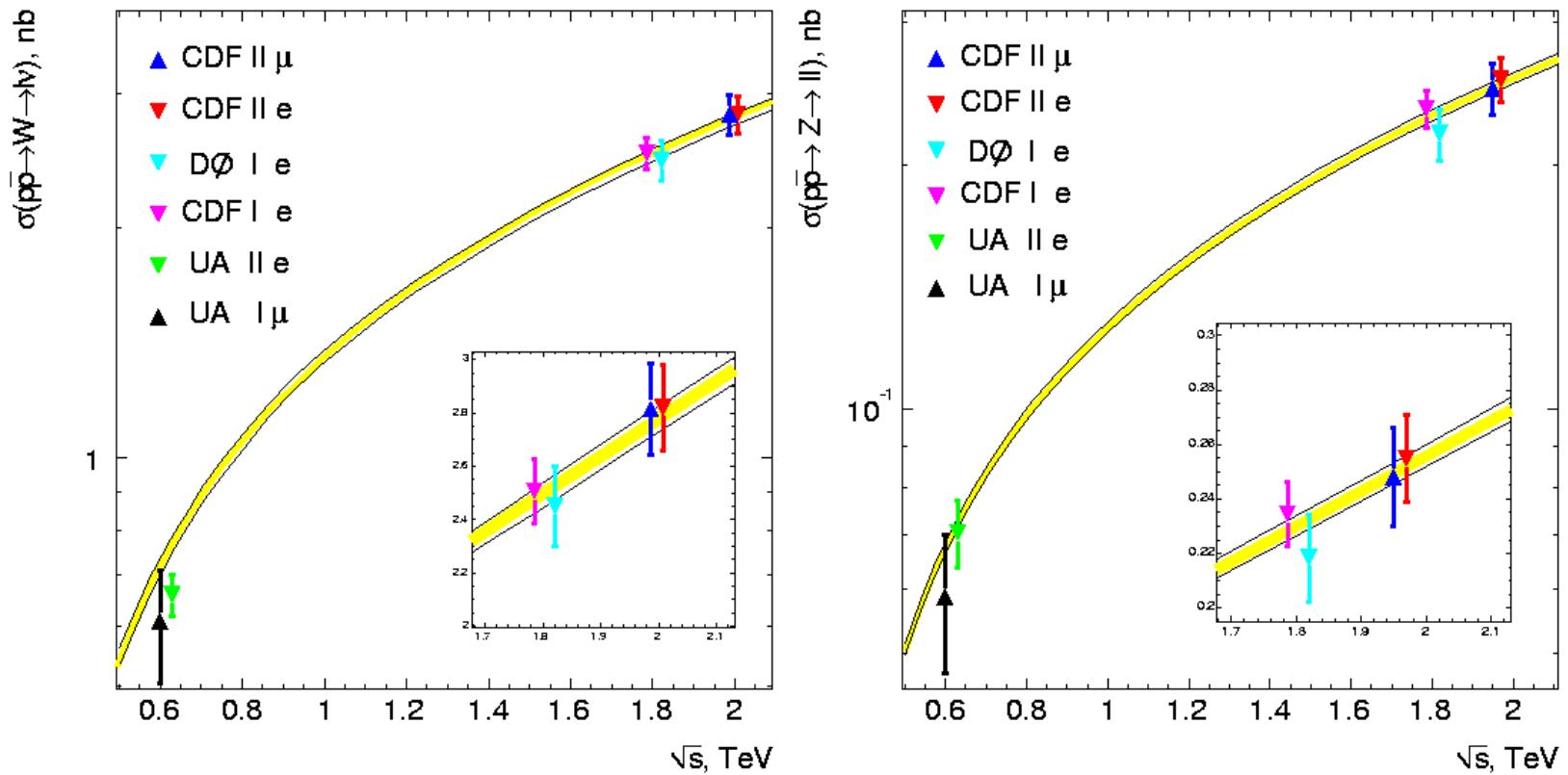
$$R = \frac{\sigma \cdot Br(p\bar{p} \rightarrow W \rightarrow \ell\nu)}{\sigma \cdot Br(p\bar{p} \rightarrow Z \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-)} = \frac{\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow W)}{\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow Z)} \times \frac{\Gamma_Z}{\Gamma_Z(\ell^+ \ell^-)} \times \frac{\Gamma_W(\ell\nu)}{\Gamma_W}$$

- From our  $\gamma^*/Z \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-$  cross section we extract the  $Z^0$  only component (factor calculated to be  $1.004 \pm 0.001$  in 66-116 GeV mass window).
- Individual R measurements are combined (instead of taking ratio of combined cross sections).

R ( $\mu$ )	$11.12 \pm 0.27 \text{ stat} \pm 0.18 \text{ syst}$
R (e)	$10.82 \pm 0.18 \text{ stat} \pm 0.16 \text{ syst}$
R (e+ $\mu$ )	$10.92 \pm 0.15 \text{ stat} \pm 0.14 \text{ syst}$

NNLO @  $\sqrt{s}=1.96 \text{ TeV}$ :  $10.69 \pm 0.08$  (Stirling, van Neerven)

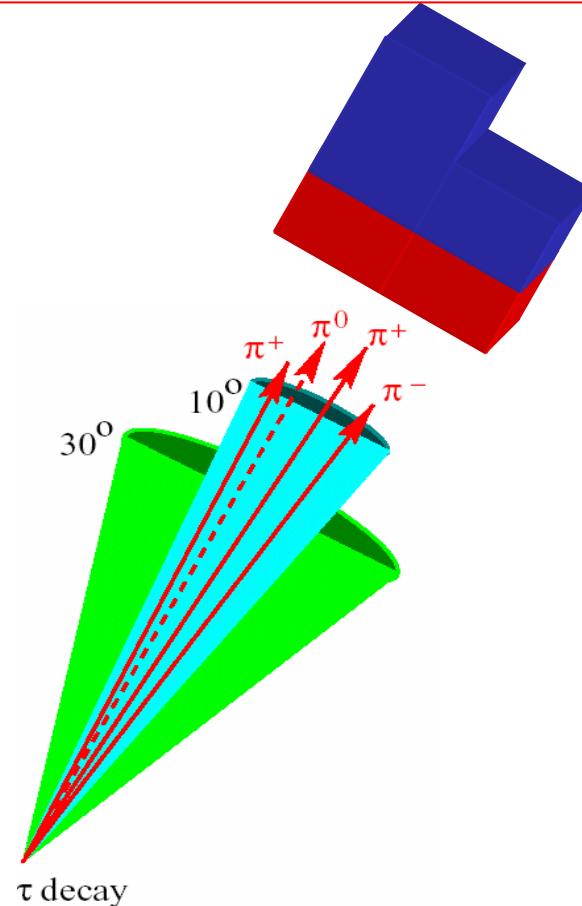
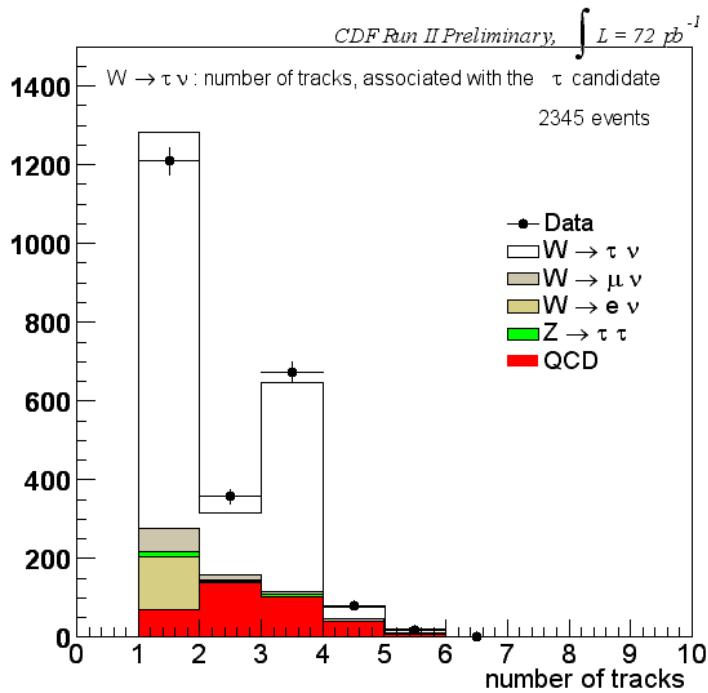
# *W/Z Cross Section vs $\sqrt{s}$*



- Tau reconstruction:

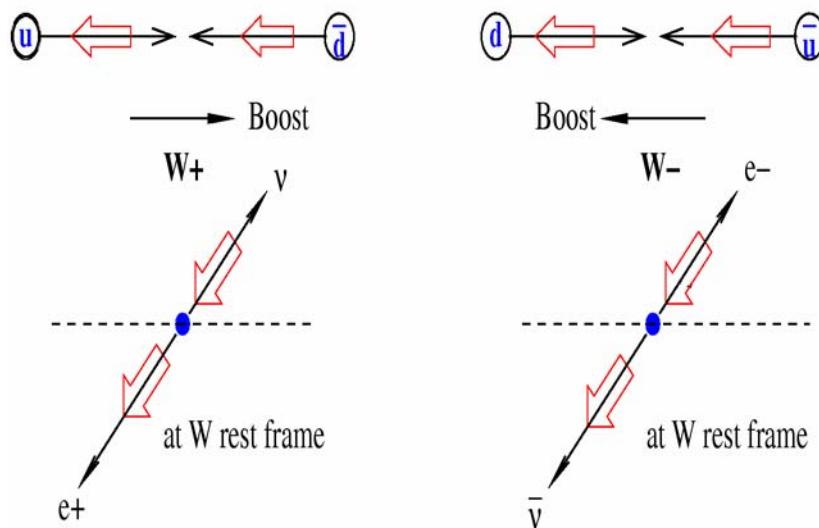
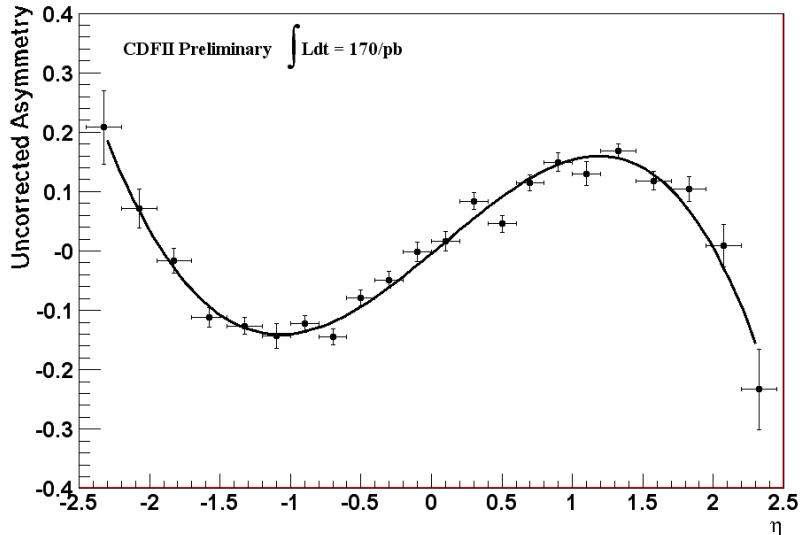
- Count tracks in  $10^\circ$   $\tau$ -cone and veto tracks in  $30^\circ$  isolation cone
- Reconstruct  $p^0$  candidates in Shower Max detector
- Combined mass  $< m(\tau)$

$W \rightarrow \tau\nu_t$ : 2345 in  $\sim 72 \text{ pb}^{-1}$   
Background  $\sim 26\%$  (dominated QCD)



$$\sigma \cdot BR(W \rightarrow \tau\nu) = 2.62 \pm 0.07_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.21_{\text{sys}} \pm 0.16_{\text{lum}} \text{ nb}$$

# W Charge Asymmetry

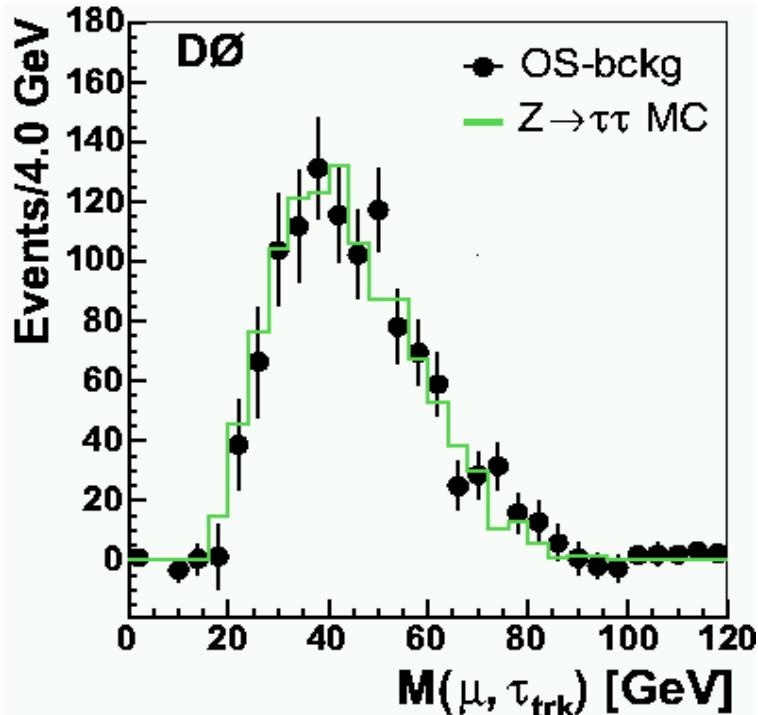


Corrections to extract asymmetry:

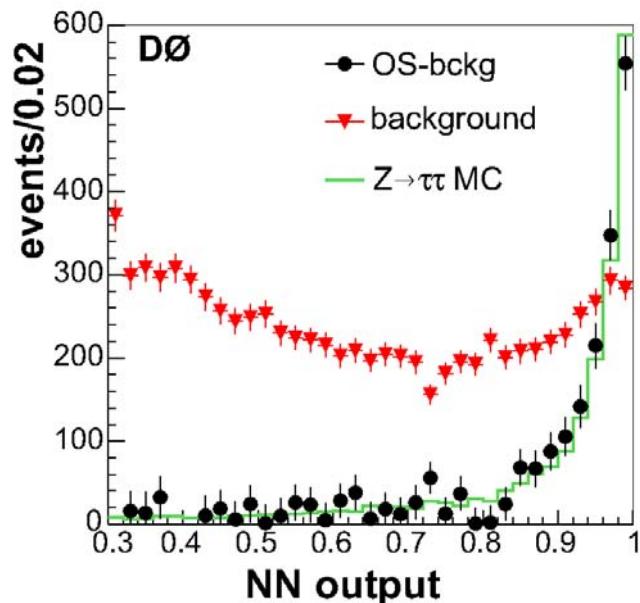
- Charge misidentification rate.
- Background subtraction.

Measured in each  $\eta$  bin  
Both bias the asymmetry low  
→ dilution.

# DØ Z-> $\tau\tau$ Cross Section



- $L=226 \text{ pb}^{-1}$
- Muon trigger
  - neural network-based  $\tau$  ID
  - cut NN > 0.8
  - S/B ~ 1
  - $Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$  signal: **914+/-24**



For  $m(\tau\tau) > 60 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ :

$$\sigma \cdot B(Z \rightarrow \tau\tau) = 252 \pm 16_{\text{stat}} \pm 19_{\text{syst}} \pm 17_{\text{lum}} \text{ pb}$$

$\gamma^*$  removed:

$$\sigma \cdot B(Z \rightarrow \tau\tau) = 237 \pm 15_{\text{stat}} \pm 18_{\text{syst}} \pm 16_{\text{lum}} \text{ pb}$$

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